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## OFFICE OF CURRENT OPERATIONS

## Bulletin

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Item #2

FBIS 76'''''' (OUT OF SEQUENCE)

FOR YOUR INFORMATION: SHOOTINGS AT WUJEK MINE; RIOTS IN GDANSK

LD171808

WARSAW DOMESTIC SERVICE IN POLISH AT 1800 GMT ON 17 DECEMBER  
REPORTS THAT AT A STRIKE AT WUJEK MINE 41 POLICEMEN HAVE BEEN  
INJURED AND SEVEN PEOPLE SHOT DEAD. IT ALSO REPORTS THAT THERE  
HAVE BEEN RIOTS IN GDANSK.

FURTHER AS AVAILABLE.

17 DEC 1826Z JH/SAH''''''

FBIS 77'''''' (OUT OF SEQUENCE). (SEE 76)

WARSAW REPORTS DISTURBANCES IN GDANSK; 324 INJURED

LD171810 WARSAW DOMESTIC IN POLISH 1800 GMT 17 DEC 81

(TEXT) ON THE EVENING OF 16 DECEMBER THERE WERE DEMONSTRATIONS  
AND STREET DISTURBANCES IN GDANSK; SOME 160 MILITIAMEN AND 164  
CIVILIANS SUSTAINED INJURIES. FOLLOWING THE ACTIVITIES BY ORDER  
ENCORCEMENT FORCES, THE GROUPS WHICH WERE BEHAVING AGGRESSIVELY  
HAVE BEEN DISPERSED.

17 DEC 1830Z JH/SAH''''''

These comments represent the initial reaction of the Office of Current Operations  
and of the appropriate production offices in NFAC.

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FBIS 81'''' (SEE 76) (OUT OF SEQUENCE)

WARSAW: 7 KILLED, 39 INJURED AT MINE NEAR KATOWICE

LD171830 WARSAW DOMESTIC SERVICE IN POLISH 1800 GMT 17 DEC 81

(TEXT) AT WUJEK COALMINE (NEAR KATOWICE--FBIS) WHICH IS ONE OF THE NUMEROUS MILITARIZED PLANTS, A GROUP OF IRRESPONSIBLE PERSONS, SOME OF WHOM ARE NOT EMPLOYED AT THIS MINE, ORGANIZED A STRIKE DESPITE INTERDICTIONS RESULTING FROM THE MARTIAL LAW REGULATIONS.

ON 16 DECEMBER REPRESENTATIVES OF THE POLISH ARMY AND THE PROSECUTOR'S OFFICE SENT TO SEE THE STRIKING WORKERS AND WARNED THEM AGAINST THE CONSEQUENCES OF CONTINUING THE STRIKE. SINCE THE STRIKERS DID NOT OBEY THE APPEAL AND SINCE SOME OF THEM BEHAVED AGGRESSIVELY, SECURITY FORCES WERE SENT TO THE MINE. FUNCTIONARIES OF THESE FORCES WERE ATTACKED WITH STONES, CROWBARS, HACKS AND AXES.

SOME 41 FUNCTIONARIES OF THE CITIZENS' MILITIA WERE INJURED, A DOZEN OR SO OF THEM SERIOUSLY. IN THESE CIRCUMSTANCES ARMS WERE EMPLOYED. SEVEN PEOPLE WERE KILLED AND 39 CIVILIANS WERE INJURED WHEN THEY ATTACKED THE REPRESENTATIVES OF THE LAW WHO WERE PERFORMING THEIR DUTIES.

17 DEC 1910Z JH/SAH''''